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FOR: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR IN-SITU ADJUSTMENT OF LIGHT TRANSMISSION IN A PHOTOLITHOGRAPHY PROCESS

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed 10 November 1999, please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification

On page 13, line 10, after "photo mask" add the following phrase: - - with polarizing SOG - -.

On page 13, line 18, after "photo mask" delete the reference "26".

On page 13, line 18, after "polarized sections" add the reference - - 26 - -.

On page 13, line 26, after "photo mask" add the following phrase: - - with polarizing

SOG - -.

On page 14, line 3, after "photo mask" add the following phrase: - - with polarizing SOG - -.